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**SAVANNAH, Ga.** - The Armstrong Atlantic State University volleyball team has been picked to finish first in the 2013 preseason Peach Belt Conference poll of the league's coaches, released today by conference officials. The Pirates are the defending league champions from 2012.

Armstrong received seven first-place votes and 79 points total to finish ahead of Flagler, who was picked to finish second after receiving three first-place votes and 75 points total. Montevallo (53) was picked to finish third, followed by GRU Augusta (51) and USC Aiken (49).

Lander (41) has been picked to finish sixth, followed by Francis Marion (39), Columbus State (27), UNC Pembroke (21) and Georgia College (15). This is the first year of intercollegiate volleyball for both Columbus State and Georgia College, giving the Peach Belt the most number of volleyball teams in one season in league history.

Click [here](#) to view the complete 2013 Peach Belt Conference Preseason Volleyball coaches' poll.

Armstrong finished 33-6 in 2012, capturing the Peach Belt Conference's regular season and tournament titles while also hosting the NCAA Southeast Regional for the first time in school history. The Pirates return 13 players from last season's squad, including preseason All-PBC picks [Jessica Santaniello](#) and [Stephanie Sfara](#).



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